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SECTION 1: Identification of the substance/mixture and of the company/undertaking

1.1 Product identifier

Trade name

Buffer VXL

Form

The product is included in the following product sets:

SP54104 IndiSpin Pathogen Kit (50)
SP54106 IndiSpin Pathogen Kit (250)
SP54161 IndiSpin QIAcube HT (480)
SP947457 IndiMag Pathogen Kit (384)
SP947257 IndiMag Pathogen Kit w/o plastics

1.2 Relevant identified uses of the substance or mixture and uses advised against

Relevant identified uses of the substance or mixture

laboratory chemical

Uses advised against

No data available.

1.3 Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet

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1.4 Emergency telephone number

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SECTION 2: Hazards identification

2.1 Classification of the substance or mixture

Classification in accordance with Regulation (EC) No 1272/2008 (CLP)

Acute Tox. 4; H302

Acute Tox. 4; H332

Aquatic Chronic 3; H412

Eye Irrit. 2; H319

Skin Irrit. 2; H315

Classification information

This product is assessed and classified using the methods and criteria below referred to in Article 9 of Regulation (EC) n° 1272/2008:

Physical hazards: determined through assessment data based on the methods or standards referred to in part 2 of Annex I to CLP

Health hazards and environmental hazards: determined through toxicological and ecotoxicological assessment data based on the methods or standards referred to in Part 3, 4 and 5 of Annex I to CLP.

2.2 Label elements

Labelling according to Regulation (EC) No 1272/2008 (CLP Regulation)

Hazard pictograms

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Signal word

Warning

Hazardous component(s) to be indicated on label:

GUANIDINIUM CHLORIDE

Hazard statement(s)

H302+H332	Harmful if swallowed or if inhaled
H315	Causes skin irritation.
H319	Causes serious eye irritation.
H412	Harmful to aquatic life with long lasting effects.

Precautionary statement(s)

P280	Wear protective gloves/protective clothing/eye protection/face protection.
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2.3 Other hazards

PBT assessment

The product is not considered to be a PBT.

vPvB assessment

The product is not considered to be a vPvB.

SECTION 3: Composition/information on ingredients**3.1 Substances**

Not applicable. The product is not a substance.

3.2 Mixtures**Hazardous ingredients**

No	Substance name		Additional information	
	CAS / EC / Index / REACH no	Classification (EC) 1272/2008 (CLP)	Concentration	%
1	GUANIDINIUM CHLORIDE		pls. refer to footnote (1)	
	50-01-1 200-002-3 607-148-00-0 -	Acute Tox. 4*; H302 Skin Irrit. 2; H315 Eye Irrit. 2; H319 Acute Tox. 4; H332	>= 50.00 - < 70.00	wt%
2	Octylphenoxyethoxyethanol			
	9002-93-1 - - -	Acute Tox. 4; H302 Eye Irrit. 2; H319 Aquatic Chronic 2; H411	>= 5.00 - < 10.00	wt%

Full text of H- and EUH-phrases, if not already mentioned in section 2.2: see section 16.

(*, **, ***, ****) Detailed explanation pls. refer to CLP regulation No. 1272/2008, annex VI, 1.2

(1) Aberrant from/in addition to the classification set out in Annex VI, this substance is classified according to European Regulation (EC) No 1272/2008 (CLP), Article 4 (3), paragraph 2.

Acute toxicity estimate (ATE) values

No	oral	dermal	inhalative
1	1120 mg/kg bodyweight		

SECTION 4: First aid measures**4.1 Description of first aid measures****General information**

Remove contaminated clothing and shoes immediately, and launder thoroughly before reusing. Show MSDS to the attending physician. In case of persisting adverse effects, consult a physician.

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After inhalation

Remove affected persons from dangerous area by observing suitable respiratory protection measures. Ensure supply of fresh air. In case of persisting adverse effects consult a physician.

After skin contact

When in contact with the skin, clean with soap and water. Consult a doctor if skin irritation persists.

After eye contact

Remove contact lenses. Rinse eye thoroughly under running water keeping eyelids wide open and protecting the unaffected eye (at least 10 to 15 minutes). Call a doctor immediately.

After ingestion

Rinse the mouth thoroughly with water. Do not induce vomiting. Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person. Call a doctor immediately.

4.2 Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed

Symptoms

Skin irritation; Eye irritation

4.3 Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed

No data available.

SECTION 5: Firefighting measures

5.1 Extinguishing media

Suitable extinguishing media

Water spray jet; Alcohol-resistant foam; Dry chemical extinguisher; Carbon dioxide

Unsuitable extinguishing media

High power water jet

5.2 Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture

In the event of fire, the following can be released: Carbon monoxide and carbon dioxide; Nitrogen oxides (NO_x)

5.3 Advice for firefighters

Use self-contained breathing apparatus. Wear protective clothing. Do not inhale explosion and/or combustion byproducts.

SECTION 6: Accidental release measures

6.1 Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures

For non-emergency personnel

Refer to protective measures listed in sections 7 and 8. Do not inhale vapours/aerosols. Ensure adequate ventilation.

For emergency responders

Personal protective equipment (PPE) - see section 8.

6.2 Environmental precautions

Do not discharge into the drains/surface waters/groundwater. Do not discharge into the subsoil/soil.

6.3 Methods and material for containment and cleaning up

Contain and collect spillage with non-combustible absorbent materials, e.g. sand, earth, vermiculite, diatomaceous earth and place in container for disposal according to local regulations (see section 13).

6.4 Reference to other sections

Information regarding safe handling, see section 7. Information regarding personal protective measures, see section 8. Information regarding waste disposal, see section 13.

SECTION 7: Handling and storage

7.1 Precautions for safe handling

Advice on safe handling

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Risks inherent to handling the product must be minimised by applying the appropriate protective and preventive measures. Working processes should - so far as possible, according to the state of the art - be designed to rule out bodily contact or the release of hazardous substances. Provide good ventilation at the work area (local exhaust ventilation, if necessary).

General protective and hygiene measures

Do not eat, drink or smoke during work time. Keep away from foodstuffs and beverages. Do not inhale vapours. Avoid contact with eyes and skin. Wash hands before breaks and after work. Remove contaminated clothing and shoes and launder thoroughly before reusing.

7.2 Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

Technical measures and storage conditions

Keep container tightly closed and dry in a cool, well-ventilated place.

Requirements for storage rooms and vessels

Containers which are opened must be carefully closed and kept upright to prevent leakage. Always keep in containers of same material as the original.

Incompatible products

Substances to be avoided, see section 10.

7.3 Specific end use(s)

No data available.

SECTION 8: Exposure controls/personal protection

8.1 Control parameters

No parameters available for monitoring.

8.2 Exposure controls

Appropriate engineering controls

Provide adequate ventilation. Where reasonably practicable this should be achieved by the use of local exhaust ventilation and good general extraction. If these are not sufficient to maintain concentrations of particulates and solvent vapour below the OEL (=Occupational Exposure Limit), suitable respiratory protection must be worn.

Personal protective equipment

Respiratory protection

If workplace exposure limits are exceeded, a respiration protection approved for this particular job must be worn. In case of aerosol and mist formation, take appropriate measures for breathing protection in the event workplace threshold values are not specified.

Eye / face protection

Safety glasses with side protection shield (EN 166)

Hand protection

Sufficient protection is given wearing suitable protective gloves checked according to i.e. EN 374, in the event of risk of skin contact with the product. Before use, the protective gloves should be tested in any case for its specific work-station suitability (i.e. mechanical resistance, product compatibility and antistatic properties). Adhere to the manufacturer's instructions and information relating to the use, storage, care and replacement of protective gloves. Protective gloves shall be replaced immediately when physically damaged or worn. Design operations thus to avoid permanent use of protective gloves.

Other

Chemical-resistant work clothes. Protective shoes.

Environmental exposure controls

No data available.

SECTION 9: Physical and chemical properties

9.1 Information on basic physical and chemical properties

State of aggregation

liquid

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liquid			
Colour			
No data available			
Odour			
characteristic			
pH value			
Value		8.0	
Source		supplier	
Boiling point / boiling range			
No data available			
Melting point/freezing point			
No data available			
Decomposition temperature			
No data available			
Flash point			
No data available			
Ignition temperature			
No data available			
Flammability			
No data available			
Lower explosion limit			
No data available			
Upper explosion limit			
No data available			
Vapour pressure			
No data available			
Relative vapour density			
No data available			
Relative density			
No data available			
Density			
No data available			
Solubility			
No data available			
Partition coefficient n-octanol/water (log value)			
No	Substance name	CAS no.	EC no.
1	GUANIDINIUM CHLORIDE	50-01-1	200-002-3
log Pow		1.7	
Reference temperature		20 °C	
Kinematic viscosity			
No data available			
Particle characteristics			
No data available			

9.2 Other information

Other information
No data available.

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SECTION 10: Stability and reactivity**10.1 Reactivity**

Dangerous reactions are not expected if the product is handled according to its intended use.

10.2 Chemical stability

Stable under recommended storage and handling conditions (See section 7).

10.3 Possibility of hazardous reactions

Dangerous reactions are not to be expected when handling product according to its intended use.

10.4 Conditions to avoid

None, if handled according to intended use.

10.5 Incompatible materials

Oxidizing agents; Acids; Alkalis

10.6 Hazardous decomposition products

None, if handled according to intended use.

SECTION 11: Toxicological information**11.1 Information on hazard classes as defined in Regulation (EC) No 1272/2008****Acute oral toxicity (result of the ATE calculation for the mixture)****Product Name****Buffer VXL**

ATE (Mixture)	1551.76 mg/kg
Method	Calculation method according Regulation (EC) No 1272/2008, (CLP), annex I, part 3, section 3.1.3.6.

Acute oral toxicity

No	Substance name	CAS no.	EC no.
1	GUANIDINIUM CHLORIDE	50-01-1	200-002-3
LD50		1120	mg/kg bodyweight
Species	rat		

Acute dermal toxicity

No data available

Acute inhalational toxicity (result of the ATE calculation for the mixture)**Product Name****Buffer VXL**

ATE (Mixture)	3.0000 mg/l
Route of exposure / physical form	Dust/mist
Method	Calculation method according Regulation (EC) No 1272/2008, (CLP), annex I, part 3, section 3.1.3.6.

Acute inhalational toxicity

No data available

Skin corrosion/irritation**Product Name****Buffer VXL**

Source	supplier
Evaluation	Irritation is possible.

Serious eye damage/irritation**Product Name****Buffer VXL**

Source	supplier
Evaluation	Irreversible effects on the eye

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Respiratory or skin sensitisation
No data available
Germ cell mutagenicity
No data available
Reproduction toxicity
No data available
Carcinogenicity
No data available
STOT - single exposure
No data available
STOT - repeated exposure
No data available
Aspiration hazard
No data available
Endocrine disrupting properties
No data available

11.2 Information on other hazards

Other information

No data available.

SECTION 12: Ecological information

12.1 Toxicity

Toxicity to fish (acute)
No data available
Toxicity to fish (chronic)
No data available
Toxicity to Daphnia (acute)
No data available
Toxicity to Daphnia (chronic)
No data available
Toxicity to algae (acute)
No data available
Toxicity to algae (chronic)
No data available
Bacteria toxicity
No data available

12.2 Persistence and degradability

Biodegradability			
No	Substance name	CAS no.	EC no.
1	GUANIDINIUM CHLORIDE	50-01-1	200-002-3
Method Evaluation		OECD 301 C not readily biodegradable	

12.3 Bioaccumulative potential

Partition coefficient n-octanol/water (log value)			
No	Substance name	CAS no.	EC no.
1	GUANIDINIUM CHLORIDE	50-01-1	200-002-3
log Pow		1.7	

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Reference temperature	20	°C
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12.4 Mobility in soil

No data available.

12.5 Results of PBT and vPvB assessment

Results of PBT and vPvB assessment	
Product Name	
Buffer VXL	
PBT assessment	The product is not considered to be a PBT.
vPvB assessment	The product is not considered to be a vPvB.

12.6 Endocrine disrupting properties

No data available.

12.7 Other adverse effects

No data available.

12.8 Other information

Other information
Do not discharge product unmonitored into the environment.

SECTION 13: Disposal considerations**13.1 Waste treatment methods****Product**

Disposal of the product should be carried out in accordance with all applicable regulations following consultation with the responsible local authority and the disposal company in an authorised and suitable disposal facility.

Allocation of a waste code number, according to the European Waste Catalogue, should be carried out in agreement with the regional waste disposal company.

Packaging

Residues must be removed from packaging and when emptied completely disposed of in accordance with the regulations for waste removal. Incompletely emptied packaging must be disposed of in the form of disposal specified by the regional disposer.

SECTION 14: Transport information**14.1 UN number or ID number**

Not classified as dangerous in the meaning of transport regulations.

14.2 UN proper shipping name

Not classified as dangerous in the meaning of transport regulations.

14.3 Transport hazard class(es)

Not classified as dangerous in the meaning of transport regulations.

14.4 Packing group

Not classified as dangerous in the meaning of transport regulations.

14.5 Environmental hazards

Not classified as dangerous in the meaning of transport regulations.

14.6 Special precautions for user

No data available.

14.7 Maritime transport in bulk according to IMO instruments

Not relevant

SECTION 15: Regulatory information**15.1 Safety, health and environmental regulations/legislation specific for the substance or mixture**

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EU regulations**Regulation (EC) No 1907/2006 (REACH) Annex XIV (List of substances subject to authorisation)**

The product contains following substance(s) that are considered being a substance subject to Authorisation) according to REACH regulation ((EC) 1907/2006) annex XIV:

No	Substance name	CAS no.	EC no.
1	Octylphenoxypolyethoxyethanol	9002-93-1	-

REACH candidate list of substances of very high concern (SVHC) for authorisation

The product contains following substance(s) meeting the criteria in Article 57 in association with Article 59 of the REACH regulation ((EC) 1907/2006) that are placed on the list of candidates considered for inclusion in annex XIV (substances subject to Authorisation).

No	Substance name	CAS no.	EC no.
1	Octylphenoxypolyethoxyethanol	9002-93-1	-

Regulation (EC) No 1907/2006 (REACH) Annex XVII: RESTRICTIONS ON THE MANUFACTURE, PLACING ON THE MARKET AND USE OF CERTAIN DANGEROUS SUBSTANCES, MIXTURES AND ARTICLES

The product is considered being subject to REACH regulation (EC) 1907/2006 annex XVII. No 3

The product contains following substance(s) that are considered being subject to REACH regulation (EC) 1907/2006 annex XVII.

No	Substance name	CAS no.	EC no.	No
1	GUANIDINIUM CHLORIDE	50-01-1	200-002-3	75

Directive 2012/18/EU on the control of major-accident hazards involving dangerous substances

This product is not subject to Part 1 or 2 of Annex I.

Other regulations

Adhere to the national sanitary and occupational safety regulations when using this product.

15.2 Chemical safety assessment

A chemical safety assessment has not been carried out for this mixture.

SECTION 16: Other information**Sources of key data used to compile the data sheet:**

Regulation (EC) No 1907/2006 (REACH), 1272/2008 (CLP) as amended in each case.

Directives 2000/39/EC, 2006/15/EC, 2009/161/EU, (EU) 2017/164.

National Threshold Limit Values of the corresponding countries as amended in each case.

Transport regulations according to ADR, RID, IMDG, IATA as amended in each case.

The data sources used to determine physical, toxic and ecotoxic data, are indicated directly in the corresponding section.

Full text of the H- and EUH- phrases drawn up in sections 2 and 3 (provided not already drawn up in these sections)

H302	Harmful if swallowed.
H332	Harmful if inhaled.
H411	Toxic to aquatic life with long lasting effects.

Creation of the safety data sheet

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This information is based on our present knowledge and experience.

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